

Divine Mercy University - Master of Science in Counseling, Clinical Mental Health program

PROGRAM APPROVAL INFO: Board approved date 02/12/21 for applicants beginning the program in the Spring semester of 2021 or later and completing the approved program. Approval expiration date 02/11/2026.

CORE CONTENT AREA	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE
Professional orientation and ethical practice	COUN 510	Foundations and Ethics of Clinical Mental Health Counseling
Social and cultural diversity	COUN 560	Social and Cultural Diversity
Human growth and development	COUN 530	Human Growth and Development Across the Lifespan
Career development	COUN 540	Career Development
Helping relationship*	COUN 580	Counseling Skills and Helping Relationships
	COUN 520	Theories and Models of Counseling and Personality
Group work	COUN 610	Group Counseling and Group Work
Assessment**	COUN 620	Assessment & Testing Across the Lifespan
	COUN 630	Clinical Diagnosis and Treatment Planning
Research and program evaluation	COUN 550	Research and Program Evaluation

* Both COUN 580 and COUN 520 must be taken to meet the core content area requirement

** Both COUN 620 and COUN 630 must be taken to meet the core content area requirement

OTHER APPROVED COUNSELING RELATED COURSES	COURSE CODE	COURSE TITLE
	COUN 570	Marriage and Family Systems Theory
	COUN 600	Developmental Psychopathology - Risk and Resilience
	COUN 640	Crisis & Trauma - Prevention and Treatment
	COUN 650	Addictions Counseling
	COUN 660	Child and Adolescent Counseling
	COUN 670	Marriage, Couple and Family Counseling
	COUN 693	Counseling Internship 3
	COUN 694	Supplemental Counseling Internship
	PHT 513	Vocations and Virtues: The Flourishing Person
	PHT 523	Moral Character and Spiritual Flourishing
	PHT 533	Flourishing in Relationships

IMPORTANT:

Program must include a practicum providing 700 hours of supervised clinical hours as prescribed in A.A.C. R4-6-501(E.) and a minimum of 60 semester credit hours total.